# Composite Higgs models, the LHC, and Lattice

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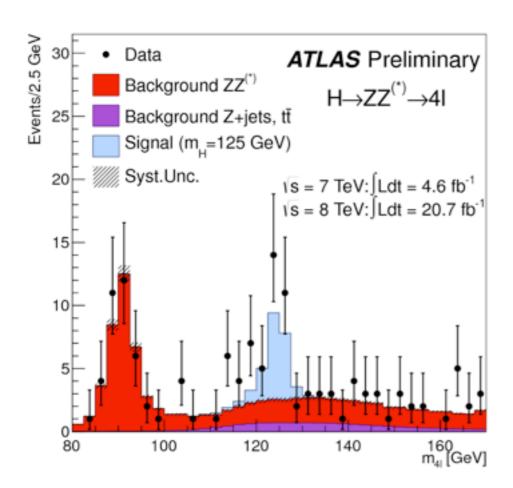
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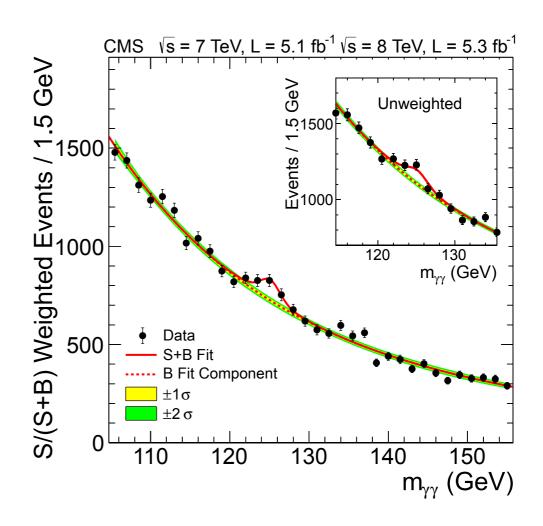
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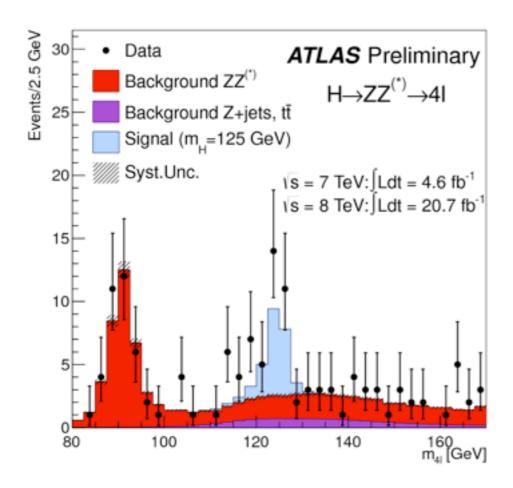


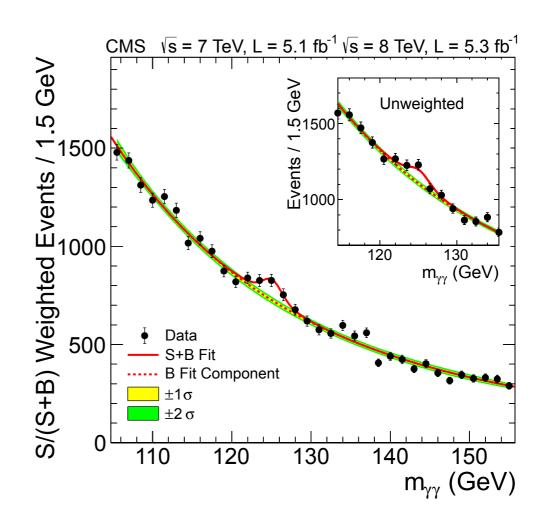


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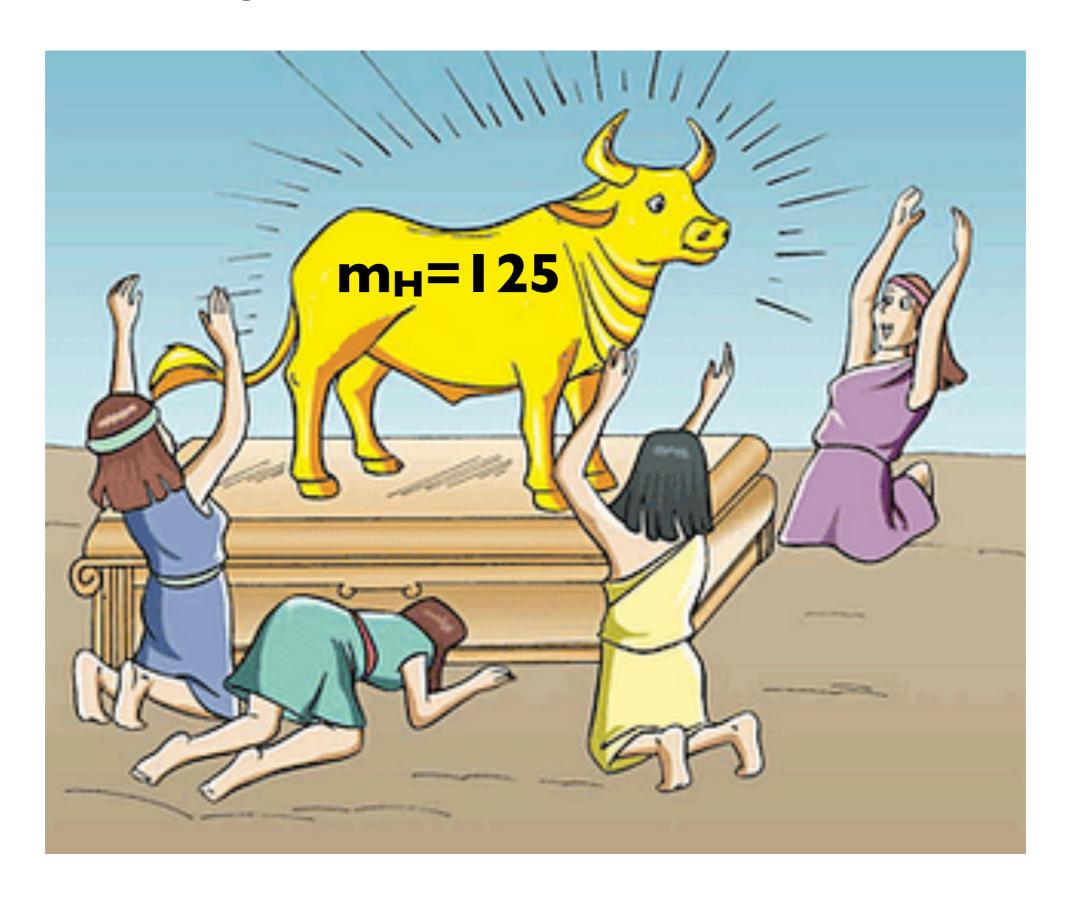
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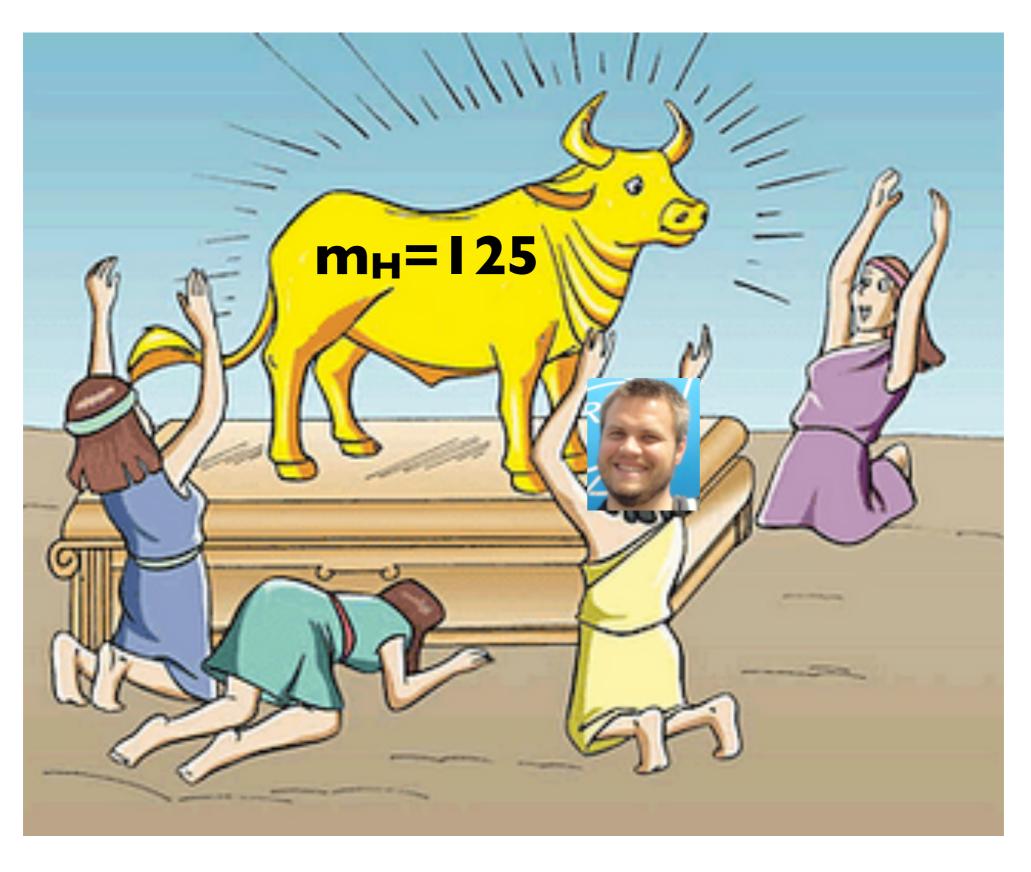


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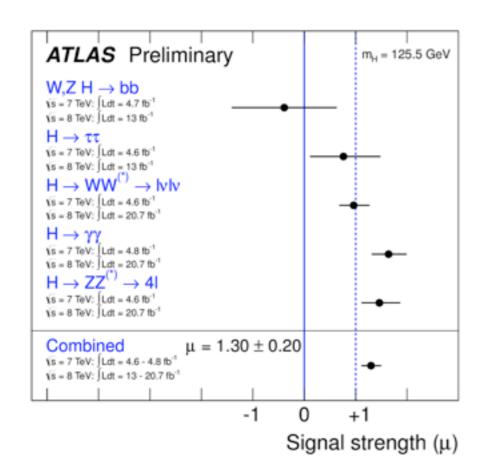
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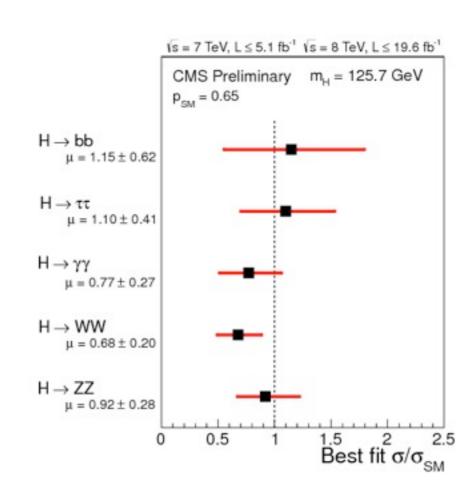


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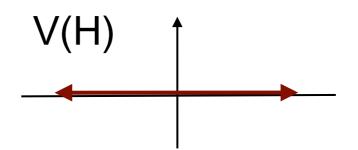
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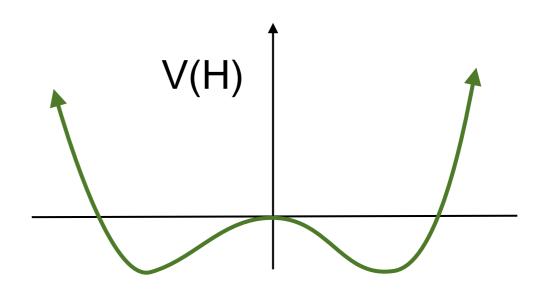
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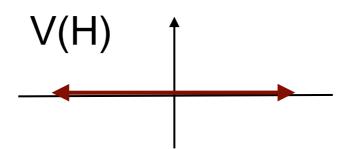


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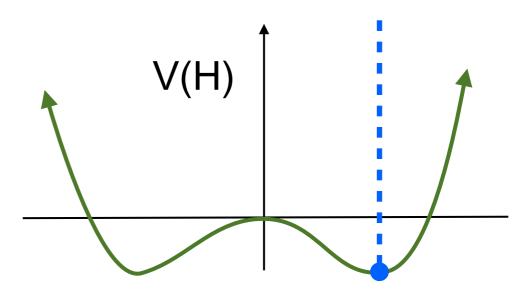
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$$\frac{SO(5)}{SO(4)}$$
: 10 generators  $\rightarrow$  6 generators  $\rightarrow$  6 generators  $=$  4 broken generators = 4 NGB

phenomenologically,  $G' \supset SU(2) \otimes SU(2) \cong SO(4)$  works better than just  $SU(2) \otimes U(1)...$  (T parameter)

assemble: 
$$\Sigma = \exp\left(\frac{2i\,\chi_a T^a}{f}\right) \Sigma_0 \qquad \text{symmetry-breaking 'vev'}$$
 strong scale NGB

start writing terms with  $\Sigma$ ,  $D_{\mu}\Sigma$  ...

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$$f^{2} \sin^{2} \left(\frac{h}{f}\right) = v^{2} + 2 v h \sqrt{1 - \xi} + h^{2} \left(1 - 2\xi\right) + \cdots$$
 where:  $\xi = \frac{v^{2}}{f^{2}}$ 

reshuffling things... 
$$m_W^2 \left(1 + a \frac{2h}{v} + b \frac{h^2}{v^2} + \cdots \right)$$

: in the SO(5)/SO(4) composite Higgs model

$$a = \sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{f^2}}$$
 ,  $b = 1 - 2\frac{v^2}{f^2}$ 

Higgs couplings deviate from SM values

a ≠ 1 : eventual bad behavior in W<sub>L</sub>W<sub>L</sub> → W<sub>L</sub>W<sub>L</sub> amplitudes

$$\text{at} \quad \frac{4\sqrt{\pi}v}{\sqrt{1-a}} \sim 4\sqrt{\pi}v \; \frac{f^2}{v^2}$$

eventual strong dynamics...

at  $\frac{4\sqrt{\pi v}}{\sqrt{1-a}} \sim 4\sqrt{\pi v} \, \frac{f^2}{v^2}$  : expect **resonances** at scale  $\sim$  **f** in analogy with to QCD ~f in analogy with to QCD ρ', a', ω', etc.

want strong coupling scale pushed to ~ few TeV (at least)

other patterns of symmetry breaking would have different values for a,b, as well as more states

ex.) SO(6)/SO(5) has 5 NGBs,  

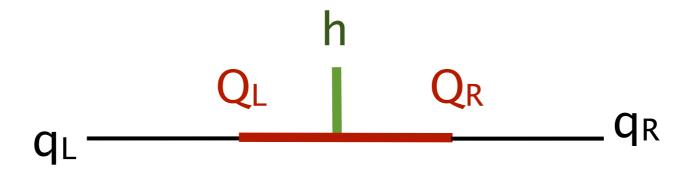
$$4 \in H + 1$$
 extra scalar  $\eta$ 

many other possibilities

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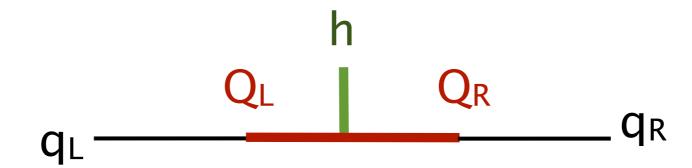
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the price we pay is new states, the composite fermions..
 new states -> new LHC signals

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#### Recap:

### Composite Higgs models are characterized by two scales: f and v

Higgs couplings deviate from SM values at O(v²/f²)

i.e. for SO(5)/SO(4) "MCHM"

$$\frac{g_{hVV}}{g_{hVV,SM}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{f^2}}, \quad \frac{g_{hhVV}}{g_{hhVV,SM}} = 1 - 2\frac{v^2}{f^2}, \quad \frac{g_{t\bar{t}h}}{g_{t\bar{t}h,SM}} = \sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{f^2}}$$

set by G/G' pattern

set by composite fermion rep.

new dynamics at f, new states at O(f-4π f)

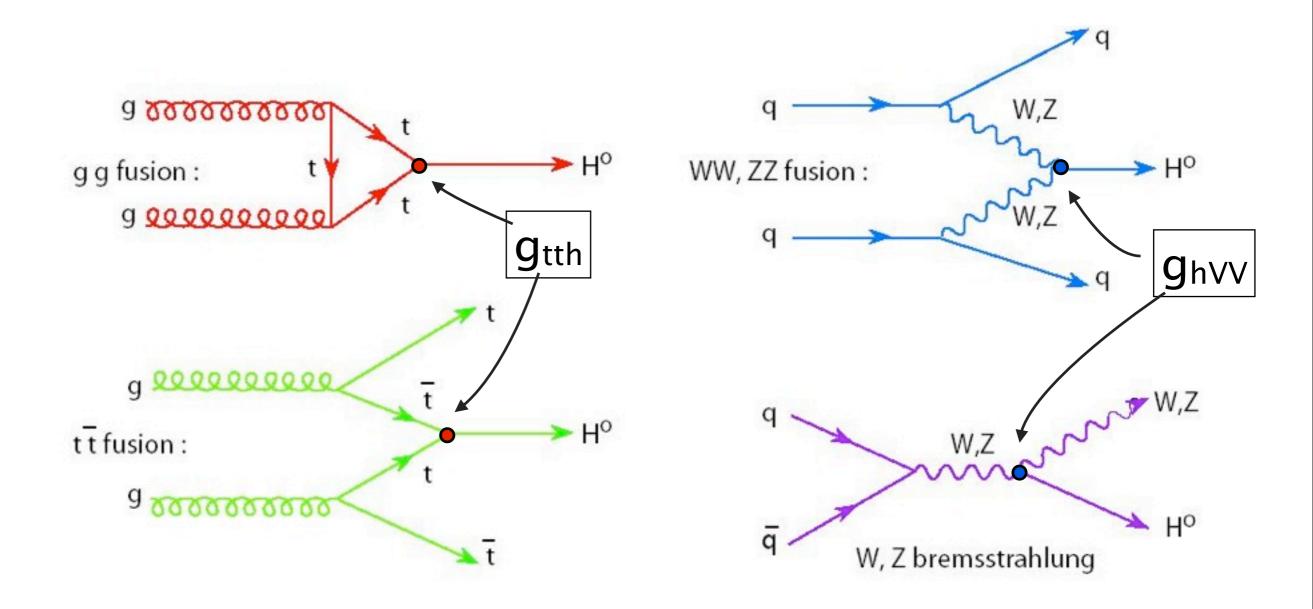
new spin-1 resonances: ρ', a', etc.

new spin-1/2 resonances: composite fermions

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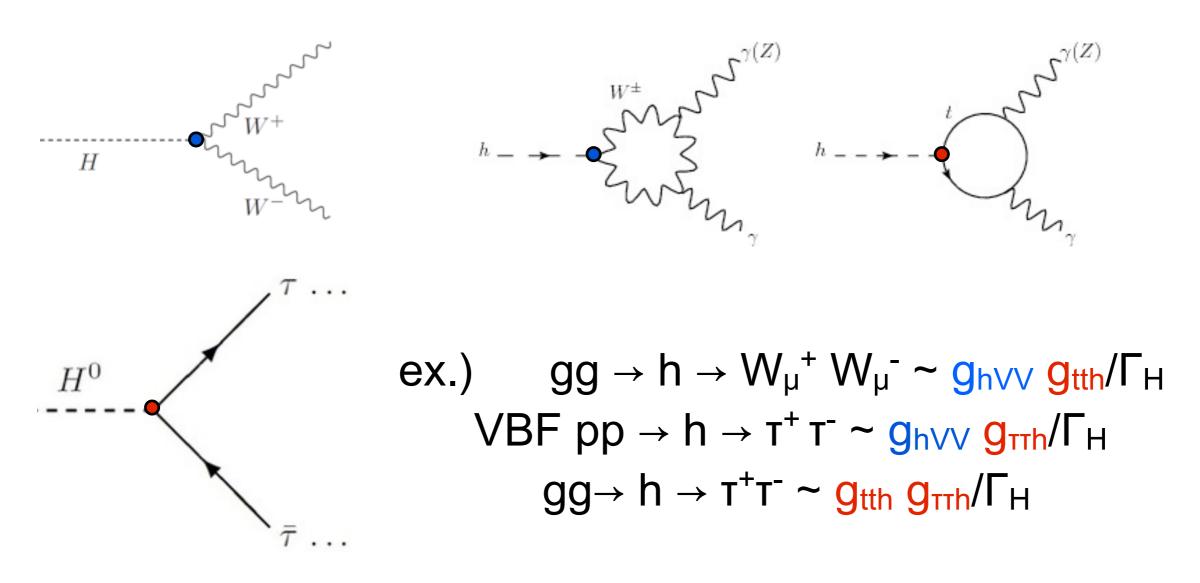
study all possible Higgs production and decay process to extract ghvv, gtth

intricate process, as different production mechanisms scale differently with ghvv, gtth and contribute differently to each final state



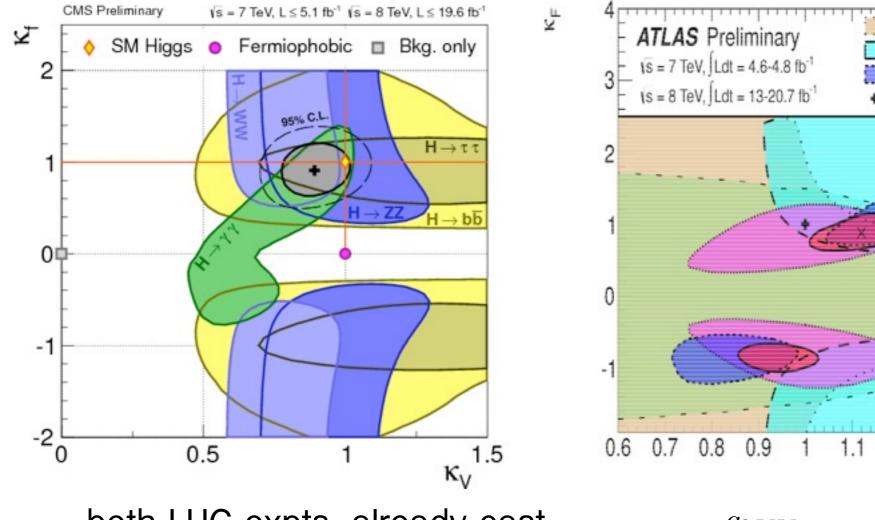
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different composite Higgs models → different g<sub>hVV</sub>, g<sub>htt</sub>, possibly even extra Higgs decay modes from new particles



BUT, careful: H + jj is not VBF alone, H+0j is not just gg  $\rightarrow$  H also,  $\Gamma_{H}$  knows about all  $g_{ffh}$ 

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both LHC expts. already cast results in space of

$$\kappa_V = \frac{g_{hVV}}{g_{hVV,SM}}, \quad \kappa_f = \frac{g_{t\bar{t}h}}{g_{t\bar{t}h,SM}}$$

× Best Fit

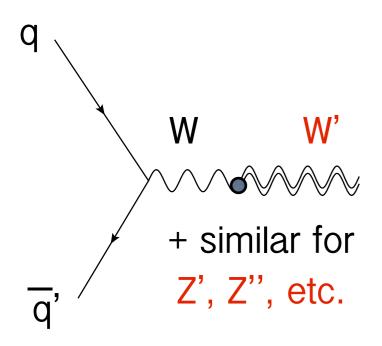
roughly,  $|\kappa_V - 1| \le 0.2$ ,  $v \ge 550$  GeV (though caveats remain)

improvements?  $|\kappa_V - 1| \simeq 0.1$  possible... hard to get much better due to uncertainties (PDF/ $\sigma_h$ /vetoes)!

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slight mixing between W', Z' and W, Z, means new resonances produced most easily in \$-channel

may look like usual W', Z'



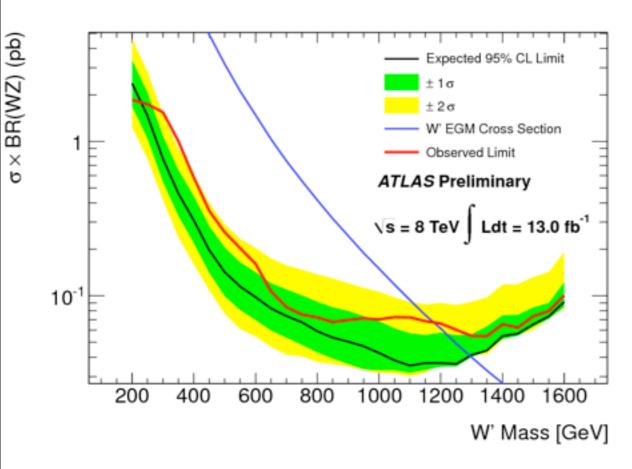
BUT: W',Z' couple strongest to other strong-sector states, like the longitudinal
W, Z & h (even t). Big couplings mean Γ<sub>W'</sub>, etc. can be big.

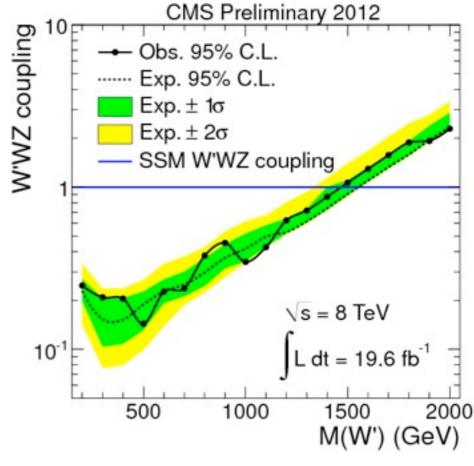
usual W', Z' LHC searches assume zero (or very small) W'WZ interactions... these need to be reinterpreted for particles w/ strong interactions with W, Z, etc.

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cleanest signal for W/Z decay products is the fully leptonic mode:

$$W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow 3\ell + v$$





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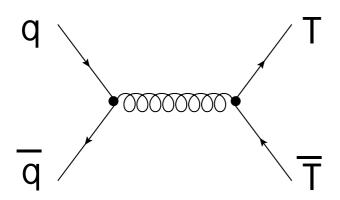
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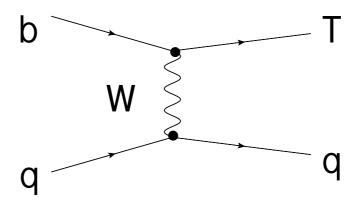
existing studies assume small W'WZ coupling!

leptonic modes have small BR .. combined with small production cross section, rate will be a problem as  $m_{W^{\prime}}$  increases

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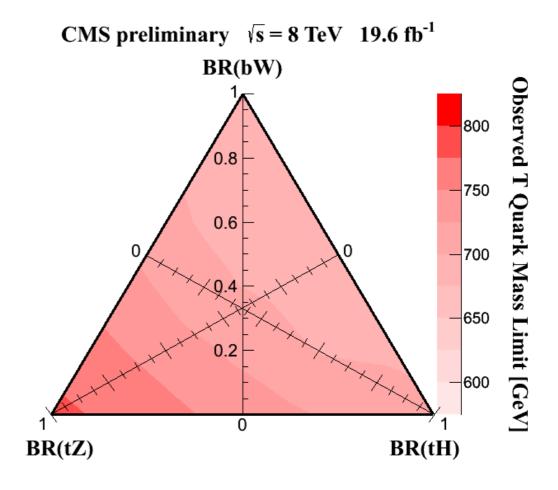
top/bottom-partners usually lightest new fermions can be pair- or singly-produced





often decay to W/Z/H + t/b...
exact modes, BR depend on the model

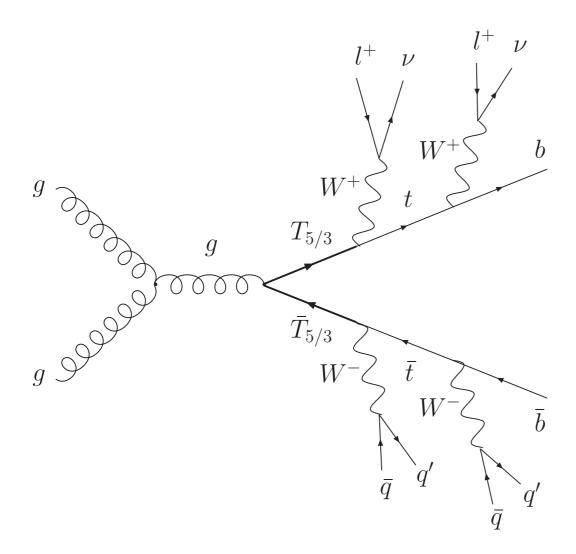
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stronger bounds from exotically charged new fermions

$$t_L$$
 partner ~ part of larger SU(2) rep. containing  $X_{5/3}$  (helps w/ Zb $\overline{b}$ )



pair-production of X<sub>5/3</sub> generates SSL signal

very little SM background

→ strong limit

m<sub>X</sub> ≥ 770 GeV

[CMS PAS B2G-12-012, ATLAS-CONF-2013-051]

limit pulls up mass of whole multiplet

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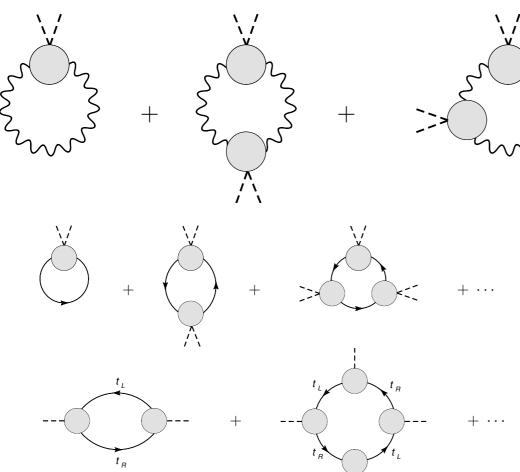
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know from  $SU(N)^2/SU(N)$  lattice studies that different  $N_F$ , representation, etc. lead to behavior different from vanilla QCD. what happens with different  $\chi SB$  pattern?

#### conclusions

composite Higgs = Higgs as a pNGB, formed from new strong dynamics at f

gauge and Yukawa interactions generate nontrivial V(h) and lead to EWSB. tuning of different contributions to get v ≪ f

O(v²/f²) Higgs coupling deviations, new heavy resonances (spin-1, fermions) in spectra, all targets for LHC searches

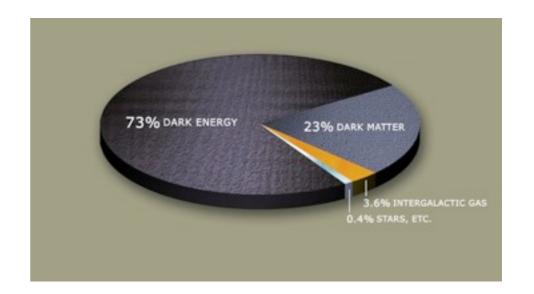
resonance ↔ Higgs interplay requires understanding/ modeling strong dynamics.

lattice insight needed

#### other directions

#### new composite sector & Dark Matter:

 lightest `techni'baryon can be stable by analog of U(1)<sub>B</sub>



- an initial matter/anti-matter asymmetry gets shared among baryons, leptons, `techni'baryons via sphalerons (Chivukula, Barr, Fahri, Nussinov)
- can get observed  $\Omega_{DM}/\Omega_{B}$  easily for ~ TeV scale DM must be electrically neutral, EW singlets to avoid direct detection Then leading operators are charge radius and polarizability:

ex.) 
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